Thousands Are Homeless.

the victims, and the suffering will un-

Chicago Day Celebrated.

some point of vantage.

feathers by a train crew.

out their throats.

Albert Bray, aged 39, of Noblesville,

year-old son, Carl, 2-year-old daughter,

Edna, and himself. The wife and chil-

dren died without a struggle. Bray,

lived for some hours without regaining

consciousness. Bray crushed the skulls

She Fought a Burglar.

Du Maurier is Dead.

For the Good of the Cow.

worth of property has been stolen with-

An Election Lynching.

voter's hand. The Democratic negr

struck Williams for his insolence, and

Williams fired at his assailant, but

missed his aim and shot and instantly

killed Engineer Middleton, of the Cen-

tral railway, who was an onlooker.

Bystanders took Williams and lynched

him and riddled his body with bullets.

Wheat is Advancing.

In a collision between the steamers Alexander and Emden, on the Ham-

burg, near Hull, the former sank,

A Lightship Founders.

It is reported in Queenstown that the

The Borland's Crew.

fortunate men, composing the crew of

the ill-fated bark James A. Borland,

arrived in San Francisc on the Alaska

Packers' Association steamer Afnogak,

which came in from Port Townsend.

The Borland went on the rocks while

trying to make the harbor at Tugidek

vessel and cargo, consisting of 80,000

cases of salmon, were a total loss, but

A Terrible Fire.

Information from Guayaquil, Ecua-

use and its contents were destroyed.

among other buildings. It is estimated

the amount of the loss will reach as

all the members of the crew escaped.

island, Alaska, September 10.

Captain Anderson and 20 other un-

throughout the province.

drowning ten of the crew.

Manitoba wheat is advancing daily.

a ticket out of a Democratic

The state election caused a murder

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OF INTEREST TO OUR READERS city, of which there are five, were

ant Happenings of the Past Week doubtedly be great. Culled From the Telegraph Columns

Three men were instantly killed in Wilkesbarre, Pa., by a fall of rock. The Republican headquarters at Chehalis, Wash., were broken into by some miscreants and a quantity of literature, private letters, accounts and postage stamps taken.

Bertie Tripp, whose right name is ber of the Salvation Army, committed suicide by taking poison in Butte, Mont. No cause for the act is known. Lewis Edwards and his wife drank beer at the house of their friend, Mabel Andrews, 403 Minna street, San Francisco, retired to a room in a drunken condition, agreed to die together as an end to their misery, turned on the gas went to bed. The door was forced the following day and Edwards

found dead and his wife unsconscious.

The Italian government has address-

a peremptory note to the porte in reference to a young Italian subject who was murdered in the recent mas sacres. The note says that the young man was beaten on the head and felled to the ground by a man in Turkish uniform until he was killed. The note Ind, a farmer and a very religious demands the punishment of the guilty man, cut the throats of his wife, 9persons and the payment of indemnity for the murder of an Italian subject. An unsuccessful attempt at wholesale poisoning by paris green has been dis- with a gaping wound in his throat covered in Almond, Wis. While prepairing a can of milk for shipment, John Bibby, a wealthy milk-shipper, noticed a peculiar color, and, on investigation found a large quantity of paris green at the bottom of the can. John Burns, another farmer, found a score of piles of paris green and salt scattered in his pasture land, and Thomas Brown lost five of the most valuable cows of his herd from the same poison, deposited by unknown parties on his grazing range. No clew

rage has been found. Boston has refused to accept the bronze Bacchante by Macmonnies, for and author of "Trilby," died in Lonthe new public library. The statue is don. His end was painless. He too suggestive of immorality and thirst passed away surrounded by his friends. of the art committee it was decided to life and death, at instervals conversing reject it. The curator of the museum with friends regarding his work. Upon sent the following note to the trustees one occasion a friend at the dying secretary be instructed to inform the trustees of the public libary that, while recognizing the remarkable technical has been successful, but popularity has high, battered the plaza in front of the Bacchante as a work of art, this com- cause of his death is given as heart mittee does not regard it as suited to trouble.

as yet to the perpetrators of the out-

the public library building." Returns from the Florida election give Bloxham, Democratic candidate cultural college at the university of for governor, a plurality of 25,000. A constitutional amendment abolishing

October elections was ratified. The tetlegraphers' strike on the Can- ing done under the supervision of Proadian Pacific has been declared off. A fessor E. W. Hilgard, who is advocatsettlement was arrived at through a ing the use of the Babcock tester to disboard of conciliation. The company cover disease in cows. Professor Hilagrees that all men will be taken back except those guilty of destroying prop- value of such tests and suggest methods erty. It also agrees to recognize the of recompensing the dairymen for the Order of Railway Telegraphers and its loss of cattle.

In a fog at Argentine, Kan., five Secret service agents of the Chicago east-bound Santa Fe trains were mixed & Northwestern railway have arrested up in a rear-end collision just outside in Chicago the members and stoppe the railway yards, the trains following the operations of the most skillful as each other closely. Several cars and well as successful gang of freight-car two of the engines were wrecked, but pilferers with whom the railroad demiraculously enough no one was killed. tectives of that city have had to deal Four persons were slightly injured. with in many years. It is known thus A dispatch from Lowell observatory, far that five railroads have suffered through the operations of the gang,

Flagstaff, Ariz., announces that the astronomers of the observatory have and it is believed not less than \$10,000 discovered that the planets Mercury and Venus each turns once on its axis in the last six months. during one revolution of the sun, making the day just equal to the year on these planets. They find further that Venus is not cloud covered, as has been and lynching at Mount Junction, Ga. reported, but has about it a thick at- Gus Williams, Populist (negro), struck mosphere, while Mercury has none.

It has been semi-officially announced in Constantinople that the Turkish government, after weighing the matter and consulting certain advisors, came to a decision not to admit the United States warship Bancroft through the Dardanelles, and therefore she will not be able to act as the guardship of the United States legation in these waters. The porte, it is said, also decided not to admit the guardships of Greece and Holland.

The British ship Kilburn, which has just arrived in San Francisco, reports the loss of two of her crew on the vovage from Newcastle. She was only nine days out when she ran into a storm. The two men were sent aloft to stow away the topsail, and while they were so engaged a violent lurch caused John Anderson, a Swede, to loose his hold, and falling he struck against John Harvey, an American, knocking him off the yardarm and together they fell. Anderson was thrown into the sea and drowned and Harvey struck on the deck, but died in a few

hours. It is generally believed among the leading Cathoric clergy that Bishop Hortman, of Cleveland, O., diooese. will be tendered the position of rector of the Catholic university at Washington, made vacant by the resignation of Bishop Keane. The bishop, who is at present in the East, has given out nothing concerning the appointment, but it is said he has been privately notified that he is the choice of the pope, and that his visit in the East is for the purpose of making arrangements for taking on his new duties.

There is considerable dissatisfaction among the employes of the Grand Trunk railway in Toronto, which may dor, states that it is estimated 20,000 terminate in a strike. The men compeople are deprived of their homes by plain they are unjustly treated by the destructive fires, which occurred there. foremen and superintendents and that their complaints are not listened to. The most serious point is at Stratford, where orders were given that the 700 employes there should work but forty-five hours a week, instead of fifty high as £6,000,000. The insurance amounts to £500,000. Thousands of hours, as hitherto. If the employes at Strictly First-Class Work Guaranteed under a similar regulation, some action will probably be taken by the men to have their wrongs redressed.

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Three-fourths of the city of Guaya-qiul, Ecuador, has been reduced to ashes by a fire which raged for twenty-

four hours, sweeping everything in its Devastation Wrought by the at upwards of \$50,000,000. Many West India Hurricane. people are homeless. Two thousand houses, including every bank in the

It is impossible from the present food supply there to feed all

and, Asbury Park and Other Ocean

Resorts -Beach Covered by Wrecksgo Chicago day, the anniversary of the great fire twenty-five years ago, was celebrated in that city chiefly as a pohurricane has swept over this section litical holiday. Republicans and today, the wind blowing with terrific Damocrats celebrated separatey, each force, reaching at Sandy Hook a veloparty having its own big street parade, city of seventy-five miles an hour last as well as monster gathering indoors. night. The tides rose to a height many Practically every factory and store in feet greater than has been seen for the city was closed, also the board of years, and the waves all along the supposed to be Helen Forest, a mem- trade and banks. From ealry morn- Atlantic coast swept in with a force ing the streets were jammed with that carried everything before them, cheering thousands, struggling to gain and did many hundreds of thousands of dollars damage. Sandy Hook and points along the Jersey coast felt the fury of the storm most of all. But The Rev. Lang, an evangelist, who Coney Island experienced, so far as has ad been holding a revival at Seward, been learned, the most direful results. O. T., during one of his sermons de- The beaches were swept clean, pavilclared "that all women who dance are lions were overtunred and carried sea-A storm broke at once, ward, with bathing houses and board and Lang was chased to the Santa Fe walks, and everything not far inland station by fifty enraged church mem- on the famous island was torn up and bers. At the station he was beaten al- piled high beyond the coast line, or

most to a jelly by two farmers and a carried out to sea. At Brighton Beach, the stone walks number of women. Subsequently he was rescued from a coat of tar and in front of the big hotel were under water, and toward the end of the afternoon, the famous Saidl concert hall was inundated and partially carried away. The well-kept lawns in front of the Oriental hotel and Manhattan Beach hotel were laid waste, and the lower portions of the hotels flooded. Innumerable small buildings were simply picked up bodily and carried

away by wind or wave. At Far Rockaway, the fury of the gale was indescribable. Those houses of his victims with an ax after he had which were built on piles on the sand were washed away, and those higher. up, which for years have been out of Miss Ella Emerson, 16 years old, of reach of the highest tides, were today

Fruitvale, Cal., battled with a burglar flooded. Along the Jesrey coast, most of the who tried to chloroform, gag and bind her, and after a desperate struggle, she damage done was to piers and to breaksucceeded in making her escape by waters. Preparations had been made, leaping through an open window and as forewarnings of the storm had been dropping to the ground, a distance of given some days before. As yet, very little damage to shipping has been reported, for on account of the warnings, many craft delayed sailing and George Du Maurier, artist, novelist, others that had cleared here returned for safe anchorage.

The Coney Island beach was swept by the highest tide in the history of Puritan town. At a meeting For days he has been hovering between the famous resort. A large number of temporary structures along the water front were destroyed. The boulevard was flooded as far as Neptune avenue. merits of Mr. Macmonnies' statue of killed me at last." The immediate Brighton beach hotel. The Ocean hotel, west of the Brighton beach hotel, was surrounded by water and the foundations racked. Numerous bathing pavillions and aumsement houses Instructor Winterhalter, of the agriwere either wrecked or damaged, among the latter being the clubhouse California, is making a comprehensive of the Seaside Athletic Club. The old dairy report which will cover practically the entire state The work is be- iron pier, which was believed to be in-

vincible, was buffeted by the storm and over twenty windows cut in two. Manhattan beach shared in the disster with other sections of the island. gard says the report will show the Much of the ornaments in front of the Manhattan beach hotel were swept away, and a magnificent lawn in front of the swell Oriental hotel was made a

dismal waste.

Hog island, during the afternoon added another big section to the portion which had previously gone to sea, and another such storm would wipe it and several other adjoining districts out of existence altogether.

At Sandy Hook, where even the breath of a breeze can be twisted into a gale, last night's storm was a howling hurricane. The waves broke higher than ever before, and at one time the old tower which incoming and outgoing ships signal shook and tottered as though it would be blown over. All day long the wind blew a gale of fifty miles at Asbury Park. High tide at noon seemed to be at the maximum.

Hundreds of people lined the shores watching the destruction that came with every wave. Everything within reach of the waves was used as a battering ram to break down the structures on the beach. The great board walk was pounded to pieces in many places. From Deal lake to the boundary line, it is a complete wreck. The marble monument which marks the spot where the New Era went down in the early days of Asbury Park was undermined by the waves and toppled into the sea. Wreckage is strewn over the beach as far as the eye can reach.

At some points where competition is unusually keen as high as 67 cents has been paid to the farmer, while 60 cents is now the general price for No. 1 hard Hog Cholera in Ohio Valley. Cincinnati, Oct. 14.-The reports from the farmers in Ohio and Indiana are alarming over the losses from hog cholera. The corn crop is very large, but the hogs are dving fast. The hog cholera has prevailed for some weeks and during the last week the losses have not only increased in the infected districts, but the disease is becoming genearl throughout the Ohio valley. Daunt's rock lightship, having on board a crew of eight men, has foun-

The game of checkers has been played in Egypt since about 2000 B. C.

St Louis, Oct. 14 .- In spite of the fact that Miss Lillian Russell's father is lying dead at his home, she appeared in her usual role in the comic opera, 'An American Beauty," at the Century theater tonight. She was not notified of his death until this morning. Her reasons for playing, as given, are that she did not desire to deprive the sixty chorus girls of night's it, and she was willing to make the sacrifice in their behalf.

Fort Worth, Tex., Oct. 14.-The ress dispatch relative to a rumor that Germany had decided to exclude American canned goods was discussed The losses to foreign companies are by the executive committee of the placed at over \$2,000,000. The custom- Livestock Exchange tonight. The matter was referred to the meeting of the board tomorrow. It will declare along Canadian cattle, exportation through the United States and retaliation

WEEKLY MARKET LETTER.

Porland, Or., Oct. 14.-There has been a decided change in speculation from extreme duliness to unsual activity within the past month. The change has been so sudden that the IN NEW YORK AND NEW JERSEY trade is becoming accustomed to it, and all the indications point to active markets for the rest of the fall, and well into the winter. There is a more confident feeling among operators in situation also has a good effect. There some, and that we have seen our lowest prices this year, and probably for some years. The advance in prices has given the bulls good profits and scared the bears so that they are not inclined to make much of a fight against higher prices, as the bull fever is on and will have to run its course. There will not be an easy time for the short sellers, and for the present they will have to be satisfied with small profits. There will also be plenty of setbacks for the bulls, but all indications point to a higher range of prices. Of late there has been advances followed by sharp breaks, but the prices have not reached to the previous low point. This is the way the bull leaders expect the markets to work all the way up.

For years it has been the custom of the trade to take no stock in bull movements unless based upon heavy country buying. The fact that the countrymen have not come in of late has deterred many from taking the bull side with a vim. There has been a moderate increase in cutside speculation, but the bulk of the new business has come from a different source—the foreigners. They have to a great extent taken the place of the countrymen. They are large traders and the majority have made money. Their trade comes to a few houses and is not as apparent as the country business, and hence is very deceptive, there being a great deal of it at times that takes all offerings in a quiet way, and the pit traders wonder where the stuff goes to, as it does not come on the market again for some time. When they get to making money they stay at it, and thus far have been able to catch the turns to better advantage than the majority of the home operators. This will tend to keep

hem in the market right along. Exports of wheat continue large, being 4,050,792 bushels last week, against about 8,000,000 bushels a month ago. and 2,224,000 bushels for the corresponding week a year ago. We would in exports last week over those of a are well known in Berlin. month ago when the price was 18c price question. He estimates the de-

TIME CARD REDUCED.

Continent. Denver, Oct. 14.-By the first of On the two roads running south and to close range. the mining camps westward, material changes in the schedule of trains will sequently be made. The Santa Fe will place its extra equipment in limited form in connection with changes to be made by the Colorado Midland to Leadville and points in the mountains. The equipment is new and fresh from the Pullman shops and is enthusiastically characterized as the finest limited in the world. Average running time of sixty miles per hour will be made by the limited, and the claim is made by the company that it will be the fastest long distance train on the

LOSS BY FIRE.

Part of the Town of Great Barrington

Burned. driven from the street, and could only fight the flames from the rear. Aid from Housantonic, Stockbridge and Lee reached the city before midnight, and the fire is now under control. A gale blew all night. The loss will be heavy.

Houses for gaming purposes were regularly licensed in London in 1620.

San Francisco, Oct. 14.-The late coast storms have completely submerged the wreck of the steamer Colombia, compelling the five divers engaged in recovering material from her hull to suspend operations indefinitely. cienlty, the wreck will be again examined, and it will then be decided if anwages. She said they could ill afford other attempt shall be made to release what is still contained in the enigine

Should Remain at Home. Toronto ,Oct. 14. - Masters of Canadian vessels are strongly denouncing the regulation of the United States which compels Canadian vessels plying between American ports, to pay \$2 per diem while so engaged. This amount, when added to \$10 30 clearmake their trips unprofitable. The Dominion government will be urged to try to secure them relief from this excessive charge.

Hungarian Woman Tortured

On Farm Near Spokane.

Then Beaten to Make Her Confess. Spokane, Wash., Oct. 18 -Marie Vovaid, a Hungarian woman, unable to speak English, tells a story of brutality which is unparalleled in the city's history. She came to Spokane several months ago, and was induced to go to the farm of one Lombardi, living stock of hay was being housed. All ten miles from town, to cook. When she reached the place, Lombardi compelled the woman to be his mistress. she says, and also the mistress of others about the place. Lombardi's deaths of over a score of people, and it sist, and five men were sent out to barn was burned a few nights after the was feared that in the more remote bring them in. The camp was easily woman arrived, and he claims several hundred dollars in bills and silver were stolen. The woman was accused of theft by another man, whose name cannot be learned. To force the woman to tell the whereabouts of the money, Lombardi used a penknife to jab her in the face, and, according to the woman's story, he jumped on her stomach and brutally kicked her.

An unknown employe waked her in the middle of the night and forced her to go to the place several miles distant, and tried to make her tell where the money was supposed to be hidden. The woman had not stolen the money and says the last assailant abused her even more shamefully than the first. She is in such a condition that she cannot be moved from the house. Her head is one mass of cuts, and her body, from neck down, is black and blue. Her neck shows the marks of fingers, where one of her brutal assailants clutched her by the throat. The authorities so far have not moved in the matter. The woman was visited today by a reporter, who took her story, and the women of Spokane will probably take care of the case.

A MYSTERIOUS SHOOTING.

Count Killed, Apparently by Accident. San Francisco, Oct. 13.-A dispatch

from Monterey says that Count Ballescall the attention of those who bleieve last night by a man named Abiger, the present price of wheat too high, and who lived with him. Abiger has been who think the advance has been too arrested. He says the shooting was rapid to be maintained, to the increase accidental. It is said that both men

Abiger is of good German family. cheaper. We also quote as a reason He says he was preparing to go hunt-

think has an important bearing on the trem's breast, killing him instantly. The dead man's full name was ficit of wheat in America, compared Count Wolfang von Ballestrem, and with 1895, at 50,000,000 bushels, he came of a prominent German famauthorities estimate it. He estimates and came to the Pacific coast about ten the Russian deficit at 75,000,000 bush- years ago. He spent his money lavishthe Argentine at 12,000,000 bush- ly, and it was soon gone. For a time This makes a total deficit in these he led a precarious existence, working three exporting countires of 137,000,- as a housepainter and bootblack, and 000 bushels. Besides the shortage in finally enlisting in the United States these three countries there is a short- army, where he served as a private. age in India of about 50,000,000 bush- Lately he said he had become reconels, and a considerable shortage in Aus- ciled with his family, and that he was receiving money from Germany. He went to Monterey a few months ago

and lived with his friend Abiger. The latter's story of the shooting is believed by the police, but there are a few discrepancies in it. He says the shooting occurred at sundown, while next month, the time to Califonria neighbors say they heard the shot after points from Denver will be reduced 8 o'clock. Von Ballestrem's clothes from seventy-two hours by new equip- were not powder burned, as they would ment to be introduced by the Santa Fe. have been had the shot been fired at

HELD UP CONDUCTORS.

Council Bluffs, Ia., Oct. 13.—The police have been assisting the officers of the motor company in an effort to discover three fellows, who have been holding up motor conductors with psinful regularity, and getting all the money they carried with them. Many robberies of this kind have occurred within a few days. But the motor people and the police officers have kept the matter quiet until yesterday. The plan pursued by the highwaymen is for two of them to board a car together and take positions on the rear platform. When the car Great Barrington, Mass., Oct. 14 .- reaches the point where they want to This town was visited tonight by the tap the conductor, one of them reaches greatest conflagration in its history. It destroyed the major portion of the This shuts off the current, the lights business section. The fire started in go out and the car stops. When the the Kennedy hotel, and spread rapidly conductor goes to the rear platform to adjoining buildings. The fire de-partment responded promptly, but the fire had gained such headway and the seieze him, grab his money from the heat was so intense that they were side pocket of his coat and jump from

> A Plot of Turkish Students. London, Oct. 13 -An Athens dispatch says the governor of Mytelene has discovered a plot of Turkish students to bring about a general massacre of Christians and that four of the ringleaders have been arrested.

> Colon, Oct. 13. - Thousands who had gathered to attend the funeral of Julio Muller, the son of a Panama merchant, were startled to see the supposed dead man come to life It appears he had taken anti-pyrene to promote micturition, and the effect was that he was pronounced dead. The appearance of the skin indicated poison, and the authorities stopped the funeral for a postmortem examination. When the coffin was opened Muller was found to be

A Young Lady Dies of Fright. Pocatello, Idaho, Oct. 18 .- This af-

ernoon at Ham's Fork, while John Byers and Miss Beatrice Bowentt, aged 16, were riding a railroad valocipede, a dog ran across the track in front of them, throwing the car off and precipitating the occupants heavily to the ground. Miss Boweutt fell across the track and died in a few moments, pre-sumably from fright. Neither of the two were struck by the car, and no other cause for death can be given. Electric coal mining machinery is other cause for death can be given. She was a daughter of John Bowoutt, the section foreman at Ham's Fork.

TERRIBLE SIBERIAN FLOODS. Great Damage and Loss of Life Nea

Tacoma, Oct. 18 -Reports from Vladivostock, which arrived today from Japan per steamer Tacoma, state that last month the plains bordering on the Ussuri were the scene of terrible floods. The rivers Siphoon, Mor, ONE MASS OF CUTS AND BRUISES Sauta Chasa and Iman were all out, and the plain for hundreds of miles was turned into a lake, in some places twenty six feet deep. The Siberian railway was flooded for 120 versts from Iman, the last station on the road, and in many places washed away and for some days telegraphic communication with Vladivostock. was interrupted, both on the government and private lines. The grain crops were being gathered, and were stocked in sheaves in the fields, and the winter

> most cases the stock of the farmers, as well as their houses. was feared that in the more remote districts the loss of human life would be still greater. Rescue parties were ers and their families to places of fifth in charge of the horses. The safety in the few boats to be found in the district, and the governor-general at Vladivostock has dispatched a party of soldiers, with two light draught tol, he passed it over for inspection. steam launches and four lifeboats, to assist in the work. This party found and he was compelled to hold up his great difficulty in reaching the scene,

owing to the state of the country. As the settlers have lost their all, even their stock of foodstuffs for the winter, there is likely to be great distress and famine in the region during the coming winter.

ASTONISHING BLACKMAIL. A Story That Rivals the Campbell Ab-

San Francisco, Oct. 18.-Such a story as Millionaire Campbell told and none of the shots took effect. The offiproved against Oliver Winthrop comes | cers then took refuge behind trees, and now from Charles Montgomery, pro- Smith fired four shots at them, three prietor of the Brooklyn hotel, who is a of which hit the trees. The deputy man of means, position and high repu- that Smith had a prisoner, fell to the tation-just such a story, save that the ground as soon as the firing began, to kidnapper, to call him so, is declared to have planned more wisely than Winthrop, executed more skilfully, officers somewhat, and they turned reaped a substantial reward for his their efforts toward keeping the trees daring crime and gone soot free.

For more than a year Mr. Montgomery has held his peace and kept his another shot at the men behind pledge of secrecy, and no one but his trees, the officer that had been left wife and his lawyer has known that with the horses came up and shot the he was the victim of an astonishing horsethief in the head with a shotgun. piece of villainy, and that he paid a He had heard the firing and came up large sum of money-said to be \$10,- just in time to relieve his brother offi 000-to his captors as the price of his pers from an unpleasant position. liberty and personal security.

lishes a sensational story to the effect George is too severely injured to be the Hungarian minister of agriculture struggle with his friend for the gun. In a year ago and a gomery had been lured into a vacant house in the morning, and until he returns the condifferent exporting countries, which we load of birdshot entered Von Balles-city at midday, and had been held a dition of the wounded man will not be prisoner and threatened with torture known. It is supposed the sight of and death, and had finally agreed to both men's eyes is destroyed. Mickel pay his jailer the sum he demanded Stubblefield did the effective shooting. within a specified time after his rewhich is less than any of the American ily. He served in the German army, lease, had sworn not to betray the robher and had naid the money as he

promised. In an interview upon the subject Montgomery said his reason for not having given publicity to the story earlier was that the kidnapper threatened to kill him if it ever became public, and both he and his wife believed that he would keep his word.

MRS. CASTLE IS GUILTY.

the Furs. New York, Oct. 18. - A dispatch to the World from London, concerning the arrest of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Castle of San Francisco, says their solicitor frankly admitted to a representative of the World today Mrs. Castle's guilt. Michael Abrahams, their solicitor, is a criminal lawyer of wide experience and great ability. He declared today that "I have had her exaimned by some leading specialists in mental diseases, and have no doubt that the judge will admit her symptoms are such as to warrant a de- Election Board's Decision Concerning fense of kleptomania. She suffers from pains in the head, from complete loss of memory and from other irregularities, which, according to medical science, are known to be frequently associated with delusions. Her case will be decided in a month or six that of the regular organization, and weeks. We shall apply for bail for that as such, it was an infringement on her again next Tuesday, and I hope the rights to use the thereof by the regshe will be released on bonds we can ular party. It was decided further that offer. The whole fact of the matter certificates of nomination of the nais, in short, that Mrs. Castle did take tional party were not party certificates these articles, but her husband is perfeetly innocent of any knowledge what-

Fayettville, Ark., Oct. 13.—Much ter should be determined as soon as excitement prevails in the Indian terpossible by the courts. ritory over the operation of gamblers. who are fleecing the Indians. The quarterly payment of the Osage tribe was made Thursday, and hundreds of of free gold quartz has been made at gamblers were present with all kinds Waterloo, fifteen miles up the Columof devices, from the shell game to the bia from Trail. Specimens, said to gold-brick swindle. Two gamblers have been taken from the outcroppings, fleeced a crowd of full bloods, and are liberally sprinkled with gold that their victims became enraged and drove is visible to the naked eye. The second them out of the settlement. The gam-blers were overtaken at Turkey creek has been made on the Waterloo mines and killed. The names are not known. by the Horn Spoon syndicate. Meeting in the Phillipines.

ever of her doing so.'

Madrid, Oct. 13 -A dispatch from Manilla says a company of native soldiers at Mindacao, an island of the Malay archipelago, the second largest of the Philippine islands, has mutined and killed its officials

Corning, Ia., was visited by the so that the holders can get their money. most disastrous fire in its history. As there is a provision that the prop-Three hundredd thousand dollars' worth erty must bring \$120,000, and no such of property was destroyed. An un- sum has so far been offered, it is a known man was generally pillaged by question if any action to hurry matters robbers, who undoubtedly set the fire can be taken by the court.

Women Whisky Sellers.

dred women are engaged in selling up today, long lines whisky to the Osage, Otoe, Poncha and Creek Indians on the border of United States mail sacks were cut open.

No passengers were on board. The Oklahoma. Deputy marshals report it No passengers were on board. is dangerous for an officer to appear in robbers took the horses, leaving the that country alone. A party of mar-shals brought in a dozen whisky sell- est station. The mail coach from the ers from that country today, most of White Oaks passing three hours later

Horsethieves Captured By Wallowa County Officers.

ONE OF FORMER SHOT IN HEAD

Druggist in Enterprise, Or., Attacked By a Woman With an Umbrella, and

La Grande, Or., Oct. 12.-Particu-

lars of a battle between horsethieves and deputy sheriffs in Wallows county, were received from Enterprise today. A few days ago two men, George and Henry Smith, passed through the Imnaha with a band of horses, supthese were carried away, as were in posed to have been stolen, and camped on Corrall creek. A day or so afterward a warrrant, was issued for their News had been received of the arrest. It was feared they would rebring them in. The camp was easily located, and Henry Smith was found in it and captured by strategy. Four officers went to the camp, leaving a officers carried no arms in sight, and the horsethief did not suspect them, so that when they asked to see his pis The pistol was then turned on him, hands. He was then taken away from

the camp and left in charge of an Two of the officers started out to find the other brother, and one was left to watch the camp. George Smith returned to the camp and "got the drop" on the officer, and held him up. He suspected that something was wrong, and proceeded to march the officer up the trail. After proceeding a short distance, he met the two officers who were looking for him. The officers opened fire, which was returned by Smith, but

escape the stray bullets. The shooting cooled the ardor of the between themselves and the horsethief. While the horsethief was trying to get

The Chronicle this morning pub- prise last night and lodged in fail, but year age last July Mr. Mont- moved, and was left in camp. A sur

Ivanhoe to the Rescue. La Grande, Or., Oct. 12.-At Enterprise, in Wallowa county, today, F. S. Ivanhoe shot and seriously wounded R. C. Gregg. Mr. Ivanhoe is a wellknown attorney, and Mr. Gregg is a druggist. The report received by telehone says that Mrs. J. W. Dalzell and Gregg were having trouble over Mrs. Dalzell's son, and Mrs. Dalzell had assaulted Gregg with an umbrella. In attempting to disarm her, Gregg broke the umbrella, and a scrimmage resulted. Mrs. Dalzell continued the assault, and, in protecting himself, Gregg used considerable force. Just at that time Ivanhoe appeared, and seeing, as he supposed, a man assaulting a woman, took a shot at the man. The first time he missed, but the second shot struck Gregg in the jaw, inflicting a severe wound. The bullet was recovered by physicians this after-

no serious results are apprehended.

noon. Unless blood-poisoning sets in,

elections, at a meeting in Brooklyn tonight, rendered a decision that the party name of the national Democratio party was substantially the same as

within the law. The board also in-

dorsed the opinion of Corporation

Counsel Burr that there was sufficient

doubt in regard to the questions at is-

sue to make it desirable that the mat-

Trail, B. C., Oct. 12.-A discovery

Wanted the Road Sold.

Seattle, Oct. 12.-The attorney of the holders of receiver's certificates to the amount of \$80,000 in the Seattle Consolidated Street Railway Company has made application to United States Judge Hanford that the road be sold

Santa Fe, N. M., Oct. 12.-The San Guthrie, O. T., Oct. 13.—One hun- Antonio-White Oaks stage was held dred women are engaged in selling up today, forty miles east of San Anis believed to have met the same fate. It is believed the robbers are the same Seventy-two races inhabit the world men who attempted to hold up the Atlanto & Pacific train west of Alburare about 1,000 religions.